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PROSTHETIC FOOT)

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- B1*
1. A prosthetic foot comprising:
- an L-shaped frame having a first axis and a second axis, the first axis forming a substantially horizontal leg of the L-shaped frame;
 - a connector connected to the frame, the connector being adapted to rotate about the first axis; and
 - a footplate attached to the connector, the footplate defining a first end and a top plane such that the footplate is also adapted to rotate about the first axis.

- B2*
10. A prosthetic foot comprising:
- an L-shaped frame;
 - a connector having a spring rotatably connected to the frame;
 - a footplate attached to the connector, the footplate defining a longitudinal axis such that the longitudinal axis is a rotation axis of the footplate about the frame; and
 - means for controlling the rotation of the footplate about the frame, the rotation controlling means being adapted to be attached to the frame.

- B3*
18. A prosthetic foot comprising:
- an L-shaped frame;

B3 a connector having a spring connected to the frame such that the connector may rotate about the frame transverse to a medial-lateral direction of movement of the prosthetic foot; and a foot plate attached to the connector.
